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from Harbin Halted/Soviet Pilots and Troops

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White Russians who had taken out Soviet citizenship  
were about to leave Harbin and [redacted] had made their arrangements to  
get out just in time, because as of 8 Jan 54 individuals would no longer  
be removed from the list of the Soviet Consulate in Harbin.

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2. In other words, Soviet nationals of this category will no longer be per-  
mitted to leave Harbin. Each Soviet citizen is listed with the Soviet  
consulate in Harbin and in other Chinese cities. Previously, the Soviet  
Consulate would agree to remove from the list ("sniat s uchota") the  
names of those planning to leave. The Consulate has an agreement with  
the Chinese Communist police that no Soviet citizen is to be given an  
exit permit unless he has a note from the Consulate that his name has been  
taken off the list.

3. A friend [redacted] from Changchun [redacted] had spoken to  
crippled Soviet pilots in that city [redacted] they had been injured while  
fighting in the Korean War. [redacted] many Soviet soldiers  
of the Mongoloid race had been sent into the fighting in Korea.

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